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Application of: J. Roehrig et al.

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Sir:

It is respectfully requested that the time for response to the Office Action dated
January 4, 2000, be extended for a period of three month(s) from April 4, 2000 to and including July 5,
2000 (July 4 being a Federal holiday).

The fee for this extension is estimated to be \$435.00. Please charge the required fee to
Pennie & Edmonds LLP Deposit Account No. 16-1150. A copy of this sheet is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

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